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Recommendation for Council Action

Austin City Council	Item ID	16701	Agenda Number	28.
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Meeting Date:	11/1/2012	Department:	Transportation
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Subject

Approve third reading of an ordinance amending Ordinance No. 20100527-047, regarding the franchise to Austin Cab I, Inc., DBA Austin Cab, to allow for additional franchise permits.

Amount and Source of Funding

Fiscal Note

There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

Purchasing Language:	
Prior Council Action:	Resolution No 20111215-065.
For More Information:	Gordon Derr, 974-7228, Carlton Thomas, 974-7020, Gilda Powers, 974-7092.
Boards and Commission Action:	
MBE / WBE:	
Related Items:	

Additional Backup Information

On December 15, 2011, the Austin City Council approved Resolution number 20111215-065 directing the City Manager to prepare an ordinance that would allow for the issuance of an additional 15 franchise permits to Austin Cab. As a result of this resolution the Austin Transportation Department recommends modifying Part 2 (Fleet Size) of Ordinance number 20100527-047 to allocate 15 additional franchise permits to Austin Cab.

In 2011 Austin Cab received 3 additional taxicab permits pursuant to the City's annual formula (Code Section 13-2-322). This ordinance takes these three permits into account in addition to those now authorized by Council.

The City Manager was further directed to prepare an ordinance that would allow for the issuance of 30 additional franchise permits to Lone Star Cab Company and an additional 15 franchise permits to Austin Cab by February 9, 2012 and to return on June 7, 2012 to allocate additional 20 permits to Lone Star Cab Company and 10 permits to Austin Cab.

In response to the direction of this resolution, the Austin Transportation Department presents this recommendation

for Council consideration.